IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI GREENVILLE DIVISION

PITRELL BRISTER, ET AL.

**PLAINTIFFS** 

V.

NO. 4:20-CV-7-SA-JMV

NATHAN BURL CAIN, ET AL.

**DEFENDANTS** 

**ORDER STAYING CERTAIN PROCEEDINGS** 

Before the court is the parties' Joint Motion for Stay of Existing Deadlines. [377]. The

parties request that the court stay this action and all deadlines set forth in the Class Certification

Scheduling Order for 90 days so that settlement discussions may proceed between the parties.

Having considered the matter and being notified this is a joint motion, the court finds that the

motion is well taken and should be granted.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that the aforementioned proceedings are hereby

STAYED for 90 days and all upcoming deadlines in the Class Certification Scheduling Order by

90 days. If negotiations fail to produce a settlement in 90 days, the parties will resume litigation

under the Class Certification Scheduling Order with the following deadlines: Defendants' expert

designation deadline of August 18, 2022; a discovery deadline of September 29, 2022; a Daubert

motion deadline of October 20, 2022; and a class-certification motion deadline of November 24,

2022.

**SO ORDERED** this, the 6th day of May, 2022.

/s/ Jane M. Virden

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE